

*Culion Leper Colony, situated on an island. Non-leprous section for employes shown at left. (Photo by Philippine Bureau of Science.)*

built with their own capital supply the necessary luxuries of regular cities. A clubhouse with reading rooms, library and pool tables affords social recreation. Here they hold their dances and give their tea parties. For those who are religiously inclined, churches have been provided; and for the movie fans there is a moving picture show on certain

nights. They are therefore happy among themselves. When we consider that every year a few cases are sent home as cured, that during the Christmas holidays the patients' friends and families are allowed to visit them, and that charitable organizations send them various presents, it is but natural that afflicted individuals present themselves to be sent to this

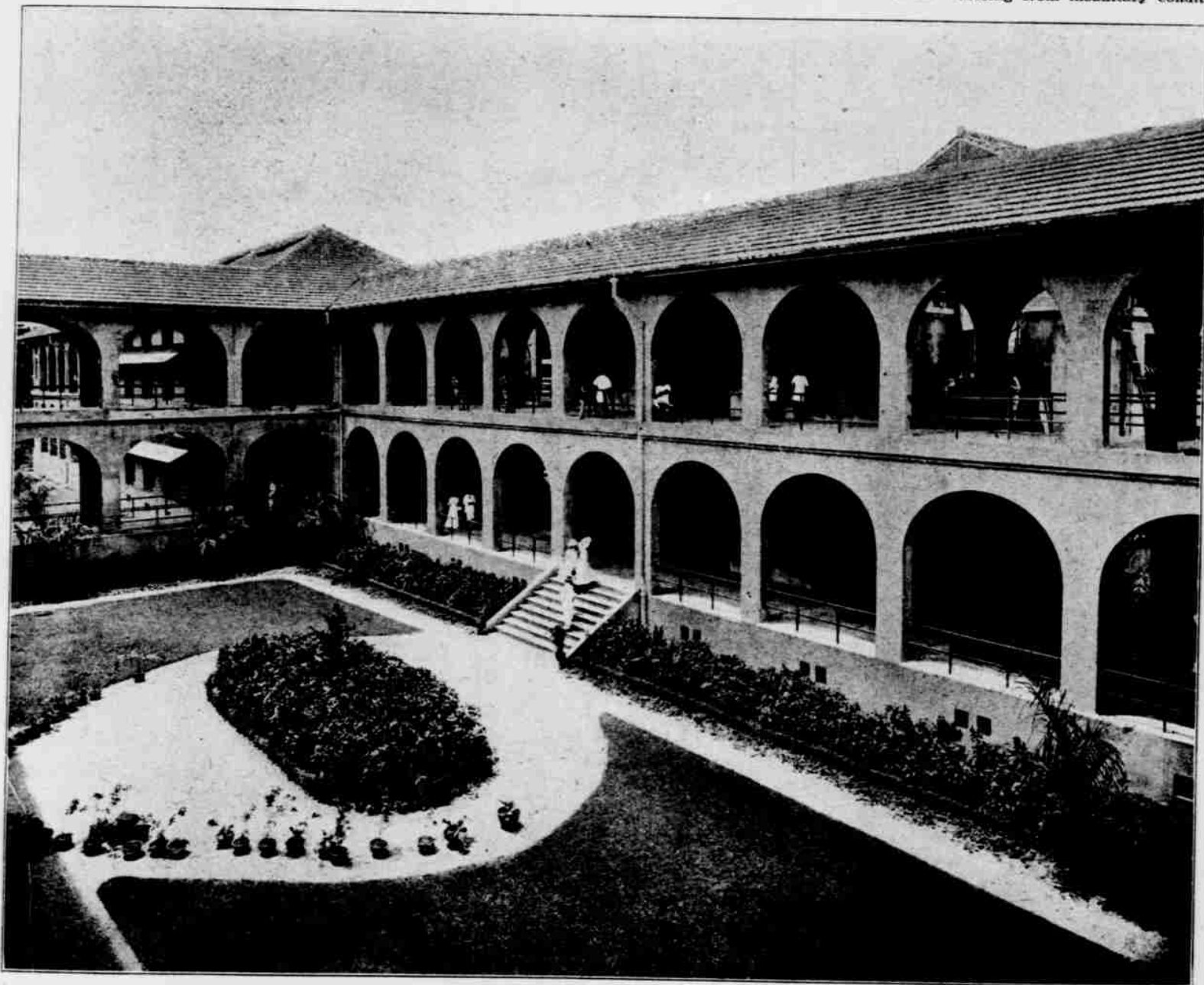
haven, so to speak, where comfort and freedom are in some instances even more than in their own homes.

The regulation of food products has been systematized. There was practically no food law at first but now all foods must meet a prescribed standard of wholesomeness. Animals are inspected before slaughter and slaughter-houses are kept in

sanitary condition. Modern market buildings of re-inforced concrete have been built in almost every town. These afford an easy and efficient inspection of all food products marketed for public consumption.

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Travelers often dread visiting Manila for fear of contracting diseases arising from insanitary conditions of



*Courtyard and corridor of the Philippine General Hospital, at Manila. (Photo by Philippine Bureau of Science.)*